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Speed for Crooked People.

SIX TAKEN EVERY WEEK

The Police Think the Average Is

day morning, a lady's bieycle, No. 8773. The wheel was recovered this morning by

TOOK CLOTHES AWAY.

Two white shirts and a sheet were stoler rom a clothes ine in the back yard of Mrs.

Elizabeth Scw dl's residence, No. 43 N street northwest, on Monday last.

The Enterprise Cycle Company of No 812 Fourteenth street northwest rented a

far failed to return it. Detective Boardman

A pearl and diamond stud, a pair of pearl-

mounted opera glasses, and a pair of trousers were stolen on the 22d instant

from the residence of E. T. Woodside, No.

William E. Thomas of No 629 K

street southwest, reports stolen, either last

night or this morning, from the back yard of his residence, a bicycle, No. 1661.

The central office detectives are satis-

up the missing satchel.

It was found. Mr. Souter left his valise

for one hour. One of the railroad em-

ployes, seeing what 'fie' thought to be a

stray satchel, took it and but it away for

safe keeping. When Mr. Souter returned

to the station the satchet was not where

FOUND THE MONEY.

Herbert K. Shaffer, No. 1320 Eleventh

and money had been found at his ledgings. Farrell Carey, No. 975 Florida avenue,

lost a silver watch and reported that he

had been rebbed. Within a few hours, and

before the department had begun work

on the case, the watch was returned to

Mr. Carey by a friend, who had taken it

John E. White, No. 711 Abner's court

northeast, reported during the week that

he had lost his gold watch by theft. Later

Mrs. Mary Wells, who thought her pocket

had been picked of a gold watch at Tent

Washington, during Endeavor week, later

found it at her lodgings, No. 942 K street

One of the biggest robberies reported

during the week was that of William J.

Coite, of the Cairo. Mr. Coite thought that

his watch, chain, and \$200 had been stolen.

He soon afterward found the property in his

It is probable, say the detectives, that

many people who report robberies and then find the goods thought to have been

stolen fall to report the recovery, and the

case goes on the records of the depart-

The average number of wheels reporte

stolen weekly is about six. This is not

a very large number compared with the total number of wheels used in the city.

Seventy-five per cent of the wheels at

leged to have been stolen are recovered by

Rev. H. Seb Doyle's Statement.

Editor Times: Allow me to state through

your columns that my presence at the Popu

st meeting is not to be construed as rep

resenting the sentiments of the church of which I am pastor. Though I am a dyed-

in-the-wool Populist, yet I in no way at-

tempt to express the political sentimen

of my congregation. It has been made to

appear that I and allowy people are Popu-

lists, but such is not the case. My presence can only be construed as representing my

own personal opinions. And would like to

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nent as an unsolved crime.

the police department.

he found it where he had mislaid it.

as a Joke.

the criminal class in Washington.

40 C street northwest.

the police of the Eighth precinct,

ticles Found Later.

Not Large in View of the Great Number in Use-Some Facts as to

We Are Open Until

9 o'Clock Tonight.

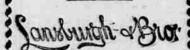
If you are so fixed that you have to shop at night. you will find our store a mighty comfortable place to shop-our 50 patent cooling fans make our store just a delightful summer resort, and a glass of Wild Cherry awaits your coming.

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## PAPA VANDERBILT WILLING SILKWORMS

Wedding of His Son and Miss Wilson Mrs. Elizabeth Baldy Arrested in Will Soon Occur.

retary of French Embassy S to Leave-Gossip of the Uny World.

hist, jr., and Miss Grace Wilson, and the wedding of Harry Payne Whitney and Gertrude Vanderbill will take place very

The dates will be fixed as soon as Cor nelius Vanderbilt, sr., has recovered his health. He will not go to Newport this summer in all probability, but will remain at his New York house during

The marriage of Senator Raines' son, Charles, to Miss Geridoth of Chicago, which occurred quietly at Hoboken, N. Y., on Monday last, has caused a flutter of excitement among New York society gossips, who declare the match to have been an elopement, which Mr. Raines stoutly de-

ies. In explaining the romance, Mr. Raines

"I have known my wife for two years," he said. "I met her in Brooklyn. She was in that city visiting some friends and I appened to meet her. We became en gaged shortly afterward. She lived in Chicago, and soon returned to her home. We met each other occasionally, and our parents knew that we were to be married some time or other.

"She came on to Procklyn a short while ago, and on Monday we decided to be mar-ried. Her parents were in Chicago and my father was in Albany, so we simply did it without any ceremony."

Dr. and Mrs. Thomas G. Ingraham are

Trubert, will leave soon to visit the family of the Brazilian minister and Mme. Mendonca, at their beautiful summer home in the Keene Valley. Adirondack Mountains.

Col. and Mrs. Rutherford will leave the middle of next week for a lengthy stay in the mountains of Pennsylvania.

Dr. Lucy E. Morton left last week for a stav at Niagara Polis.

Mr. J. A. Taff, of the Geological Survey, is in the field near Bowling Green, Ky., and Mrs. Taff, with her little daugh ter, is visiting her mother, Mrs. Leaverett, at Fayettesville, Ark.

Miss Sara Avery is the guest of her aunt, at Asbury Park.

Miss Blanch Crammer, of No. 1715 Fifcenth street, is visiting her brother at 'uget Sound, Washington.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Baxter and family mve moved from their house on R street to Kenyon street, Mount Pleasant, where Mr. Baxter has purchased a beautiful home

Miss Emma Haywood and her sister, Mrs. Miles Crenshaw, left last week for a stay at Colonial Beach.

Capt. Horace Mullan and little daughter, Gladys, left Thursday for a two-weeks' stay

Mrs. Elizabeth Sonsa-Bernays and daugh ter are spending a few weeks with Capt. and Mrs. King at their summer residence in Landover, Md.

Miss Vaddelle Walsh of Boston is a guest at the home of Mr. Notley Anderson, on P street.

At the sacred concert to be given tomor row evening at Congress Hall, Cape May, in honor of Cardinal Gibbons, several soloists and a number of those composing the chorus of forty voices are well-known vocalists of this city, some of whom have gone to Cape May especially to sing for that

Miss Grace McWilliams, of Baltimore, is visiting her uncle, Mr. George W. Dunn, East Washington.

Miss Ida Bart is visiting friends in Ballimore and was one of the guests last night who enjoyed the trolley party given by Miss Belen Piffering, of No. 2400 McCulloh street, that city.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonough are spending the season at Asbury Park.

Miss Jessie Planter of West Washington her grandmother, Mrs. Georgina Planter. spend a week with her sister, Mrs. Legrange Watson; who has a cottage at Tolchester Baltimore for Fraud.

Well Known in This City, Where She Operated for a Number of Years.

on farms in Anne Arandle county, Mo. was arrested vesterday in Baltimore, and

held to \$300 ball for court. Mrs. Baldy was quite well known in Wash ngton a few years ago. She had an office in the Atlantic building, and to all appear ances was a successful female capitalist Her transactions were regarded by some, however, as unsafe, and more than one

implaint reached beadquarters.

nd with it went all the money invested.

Mrs. Baldy went to Baltimore. At an

of working a fraudulent scheme. The arrest yesterday was on a warrant charg-ing her with obtaining \$2 from Emma Slocum, colored. The colored woman stated that several weeks ago she saw an adver tisement in a paper stating that good writers were wanted at No. 200 North Liberty street. She says that she called at the place and saw Mrs. Baldy. The lattold her that she would notify her when

she had work for her. be sum of \$300.

eleased on \$300 surety.

ELK APPOINTMENTS.

Grand Exalted Ruler Detweiler An

Harrisburg, Pa., July 25 .- Meade D. Detweiler, of this city, recently elected grand exalted ruler of the Elks, last night nnounced the following appointments: Grand esquire, Lew A. Clarke, St. Louis, Mo., No. 9; grand inner guard, George Meyers, jr., Pittsburg, Pa., No. 11; grand chaplain, Rev. Dr. I. B. Timberlake, New Thomas F. Turner, Canton, Ohio, No. 68; James A. McHenry, Comberland, Md., No. 6; Willard C. Vanderlip, Boston, Mass. No. 10. Committee on grievances-C. W. Murdaugh, Portsmouth, Va., No. 82; W. F. Laign, Little Falls, N. Y., No. 42; George E. Degona, Oakland, Cal., No. 171. Committee on returns and credentials M. Bedell, Syracuse, N. Y., 131; Harvey Meyers, Covington, Ky., No. 314; Willia H. McDermith. Columbus, Ohio, No. 37 Committee on charters—Robert W. Mitch ell, Portland, Ore., No. 142; William Carne, unbury, Pa., No. 267; James K. Carmack Atlantic City, N. J., No. 276. Committee on work and ritual-W. E. Mehaffey, Lima, Ohio, No. 162; E. D. Weed, Helena Mont., No. 193; William H. Friday, Brook lyn, N. Y., No. 22. R. F. Cardella, of Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. Etizabeth F. Baldy, who some years ago gained notoriety in Washington through her connection with a concern which pur ported to be organized to raise silkworms and also to create a silkworm industry

She had been here but a short time when he started a company for the raising of silkworms. Many persons put money ato the scheme, and one man from Texas invested several thousand dollars. Land was procured in Anne Arundle county, and ome cocoons placed in process of genera

In some places mulberry trees were planted in abundance, and for a short time the Southern Land and Silk Company, as it vas called, seemed to be on the road to financial success. It suddenly collapsed

other time, while in Washington, she ad vertised for a young man to take charge of an office here and give several bun dred dollars security. The young man was found and also the cash. There was some trouble between employer and employe about the security, and Mrs. Baldy again left the city.

he had left it. He weathat once to th While in Baltimore complaints bave police. been frequent, and about a year ago she was arrested in New York on a charge James E. Rockett, No. 1001 Tenth street southeast, reported during the week that his house had been extered, and that \$100 had been stolen. The case was duly assigned and several persons suspected. Later Mr. Rocket notified the police that he had found the money under the carpet where he had hidden it. street portliwest, reported that his pocket ter took \$2 from ber, and, the woman says had been picked, and later he told the police department that the pocket book

She also gave her a receipt which called for a year's subscription to a paper called Golden Era. The colored woman said she received the paper, but she did not wantit, and gave up her \$2 with the promise that she would get work. Mrs. Baldy said that the money was paid for a subscription to the paper. Justice Sultzer stated that a number of similar complaints had reached him, and he proposed that the court should settle it. Mrs. Baldy was held in

Later in the afternoon Mrs. Baldy was

nounces His List.

was appointed a District deputy FOR FIFTY YEARS!

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# MAN-EATINGSHARK KILLED Bargain

Has an Adventure.

CAUGHT AFTER A CHASE

Monroe-Chase Was Made and Bullets Fired at It-After Death the Huge Fish Was Towed Ashore and

A man-eating shark has been killed near Fort Mouroe, after an exciting chase. He made an attempt to upset a boat in which geotlemen were fishing, and in return was run down and slain. A man's oot was found in his maw. Mr. E. Ellis of this city was cruising in his

Recent Reports of Robberies-Aryacht, the Petrel, in the neighborhood of Fort Monroe, and with a party of friends went out in a small boat to fish. While they were riding comparatively quiet on the waters of the harbor they felt a sudden The complaint book at police bendquarters today contained the reports of six rob-beries. The list included the larceny of three bicycles, one of which has already

huge log.

Luc, were startled and thought it was a tidal wave accompanying an earthquake till one of them noticed a few feet away a black object moving through the water, apparently some kind of big fish. At a second look one of them recognized the long, triangular fin of a stark. For a moment they were in fear lest the monster should turn and again attack the boat. They were sure the jar they had felt had come from an attempt of the shark to upset the boat and get at its occupants. inge log. Robert F. Plummer, of No. 315 F street southwest, left word that his office was visited on Sunday last by a sneak thief, who got away with a canvas bag containing \$9 in money, a penknife and a pair of L. A. Grawes, manager for the Gormulty & Jeffery Manufacturing Company, No. 1325 Fourteenth street northwest, reported stolen from the side entrance of his resi dence, No. 2504 Fourteenth street, yester-

KILLED THE MONSTER

on board. Directing the rowers to follow the shark as rapidly as possible, Mr. Ellis began fring. The first two or three bullets flew wide of the mark, but a fourth took effect and brought the big fellow to a standstill. A moment later he turned over on his back, and his great white belly gleamed at the top of the water.

The party polled alengside and examined their capture. They found they had an unusually big shark for these waters. One of them hit him a heavy blow across the nose to make sure he was dead, and then towed him ashore. There they cut him in pieces and found in his stomach, amid a lot of fish, a part of a man's leg. It had been cut off at the ankle as if with a saw and swallowed almost without being touched otherwise than by the fish's big teeth.

Mr. Ellis called at Fort Mouroe the next

fied that no undue number of crimes are be-Mr. Ellis called at Fort Monroe the next day and told of his killing the shark. A day or two later he came to Washington and related the details of his experience to Mr. Charles W. Leannards of the Ameri-can House. He said he had not heard of anyone being lost in the vicinity or of any fight with a shark in which a bather had lost his foot.

He was a rood deal pazzled to know ing committed, and are satisfied that the detetive corps is strong enough to cope with They claim that the record of robberies is short, the aggregate of plunder small and the percentage of stolen goods recovered

accurate, for the reason that many people report that they have been robbed when they have no real loss. A great many have ters. His rate of swimming, he thought, would be sufficient to bring him up the coast before the food in his stomach would have been digested. such a morbid fear of thieves that as soon as they miss an article they rush to the police department and shout, "I've been

Several instances came to the attention of the nutherities this week. Richard F. Souter, of Bond Hill, Ohio. reported Thursday to the detective office that he had been relieved of a russetleather satchel, containing clothes, at the Baltimore and Potomac knitroad station. This case was promptly added to the record of robberies, and a man detailed to look

THE RELIEF OF SAILORS.

sailbrs, and they were never attacked.
Still, from what he saw of sharks, he believed they both could and would attack
a man if found alone and unprotected.
At the Fish Commission Dr. Hugh Smith

them down before they had more than left the surface. But in this case the man was already helpless by his fall.

There was plenty of evidence that sharks eat dead bodies of men when thrown into the sea. But there are numerous other fishes that do the same. Mr. Hall personally doubted very much whether the sharks ever even attacks a man.

Every One Enjoys the Moonlight Sail

Taking the sail to Indian Head on the steamer Macalester has become one of the standard pleasures of the summer season, With the additional charm of moonlight these beautiful river rides furnish the most delightful means of spending an evening. The stop at Marshall Hall enables those who prefer it to dance in the big payllion or enjoy the numerous amusements which abound there. Steamer Macalester leaves this evening at 6.30, returning leaves Marshall Hall at 9:30. Fare for the round trip, 25 cents.

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LERCH-On Saturday, July 25, 1896, at 8:45 a.m., George B., Infant son of Frank S. and bora Lerch thee Dockers, aged three months and thirteen days.
Funeral Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from 923 C street southwest. Interment, Prospect cemetery.

How we grieve! Oh, how we miss her; "Twas on our mother we set such store; But God in Hiskindness relieved her from pain, a snows as our loss was alone for her gain,

Funeral from her late residence, 3426 street, Georgetown, D. C., Sunday, July 6, at 40 clock p. m. Retailves and friends re respectfully invited to attend.

HAYES On Tuesday, July 21, 1898, at 9:40 p. in., Harvey Bruce Hayes, aged four menths, beloved son of Frank and Minnie Hayes, Grant Road, Tenleytown, D.C.

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CHURCH NOTICES At 1900 Pennsylvania avenue the Very Rev. Konstantinos Papageorgion will hold services for the Greeks of Washington, at 11 o'clock Sunday, and will baptize a child of Athanarios Malayazi, a resment of

THE PEOPLE'S CHURCH, 423 G street northwest. W. L. Chitty, secretary, will speak at 11:15 a.m. on "The God of the Living." All welcome, seats free.

PASTOR E, HEZ SWEM continues "Much About Marriage; or, Bachelors and Spin-sters;" the fourth in the series of sermons, Souday night, 8 o'clock. Preaching at 11 a. m. by the pastor. Free pews. Cool auditorium. All most cordially invited. Second Baptist Church Auditorium, Fourth street and Virginia avenue southeast,

METROPOLITAN PRESBYTERIAN METROPOLITAN PRESENTERIAN CHURCH, Fourth and B streets southeast-Rev. George N. Luccock, D. D., pastor-Preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m., sqb-ject, "The Forgiveness of Sin," Sabbath-school, 9:30 a. m., Y. P. S. C. E., 6:45 n m : prayer meeting. Thursday, 8 p m THE BRETHREN-Preaching at No. 316 Cross Hall, on Lord's day, 11 a, m., by the pastor, W. M. Lyon; Bible school at 9.45 a. m.; Young People's meeting at 7.20 p. m., at No. 215 Four and a half street porthwest. Everybody cordially invited.

mer Tenth and G streets northwest, Rev 8 M. Newman, D. D., pastor-Preaching at 11 a, m. by Rev. Isane Clark, D. D. no evening service; music by quartet and chorus, led by Dr. Bischoff, organist; Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; Christian Endeavor

CENTRAL M. P. CHURCH, Twelfth and M strees northwest, Rev. S. J. Smith, pastor—11 a. m., "Grace Regnant;" S.p. m., "A Word to Business Men;" Sunday-school, 9:30 a. m.; C. E., 7 p. m.; mission, Tharteen-and-a-batt and D streets southwest, 3 p. m.; charch extension meeting, 8 p. m., Monday. Seats free. GURLEY MEMORIAL (Presbyterian)

GURLEY MEMORITAL (Presoyverian), Florida avenue, between Sixth and Seventh streets northwest, J. Russell Verbrycke, pastor-Morning service, 11 a. in, Rev. Carl H. Elliott will preach; subject, "Abraham's unlimited faith;" vesper ser-vice at 7 o'clock; subject, "Claiming the promises," by the Christian Endeavor promises." by the Christian Endeavor Society. All are cordially invited to these EPWORTH M. E. CHURCH SOUTH-

Corner Seventh and A streets northeast, Rev. J. O. Knott pastor. 9:30 a. m., Sunday school; 11 a.m., preaching by the pastor, subject, "Finding Your Place." 7 p.m., Epworth League devotions, service. 8 p.m., rally of Sunday school workers. short talks by prominent workers. Church ventilated by fan. THEOSOPHY-Lecture Sunday night S

p. m. at Rooms 1328 I northwest, by Mr. George M. Coffin. Subject, "Rein-carnation and Karma;" study class, Son-day morning, 11 a. m.; regular weekly meeting Thursday night, 8 o'clock, sub-ject, "Intuition." All free, Public in-GUNTON TEMLPE MEMORIAL PRES.

BYTERIAN CHURCH, corner Fourteenth and R streets northwest, Rev. G. B. Patch, D. D. pastor, and Rev. Carl H. Elliott supply—Sacrament of the Lord's Supper, 11 a. m., administered by Rev. J. Russell Yerbrycke, pastor Gurley Memorial Pres-byterian Church; Sabbath-school and adult Bible classes, 9:30 a.m.; meeting of Y. P. S. C. E., 7 p. m.; church prayer meeting Thursday, 8 p. m.

Thursday, 8 p. m.

ISRAEL METROPOLITAN C. M. E.
CHURCH, corner First and B streets southwest, Rev. H. Seb. Doyle, pastor. Freaching at 11 a. m. by Rev. J. C. Waters,
D. D., of Augusta, Ga.; preaching at 8 p.
m. by the pastor. A meeting of all the
church members is called for 10 o'clock
Sunday, Sunday school at 9:30 a. m. L. A.
Comic. superintecher. Alloyated, Sents Cornists, superintendent. All invited. Seats

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EBENEZER M. E. CHURCH, Fourth and D streets southeast, M. W. Clair, Ph. B., pastor—9:30 a. m., Sunday-school; 11 a. m, sermon by the pastor; 8 p. m., sermon by Rev. C. A. Leftwich, B. D. At 3 p. m., the pastor, congregation and choir will go to Haven Mission, Fourteenth and B streets southeast. Sermon by the pastor. cordial welcome to all.

WALKER MEM. BAPTIST CHURCH.
Madison avenue, between Fourteenth and
Fifteenth streets notthwest, Rev. I. C.
Bryant, pastor. Sunday school, 830 a.
m.: preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.: Monday evening, July 27, "The Sun do Move."
subject of a sermon by the Rev. Henry
Jackson, of Augusta, Ga. Seats free. VIRGINIA AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, South Washington—Preaching at 11 n. m. Sunday school at 9 n. m. Ser-vices at 3 p. m. Preaching at 8 p. m.; subject, "To sow;" lext, seed. All are welcome. Rev. N. Dillard, pastor.

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CHURCH NOTICES. UNION WESLEY A. M. E. ZION CHURCH, Tweaty-third street, between L and M-Rev. George S. Adams, D. D., pastor. Preaching 11 a. m. and S p. m. Morning subject, "The Survival of the Fittest." Evening subject, "Moses in the Ark of Bulrustes."

BROOKLAND M. E. CHURCH, Rev. William H. Chapman, pastor. Sunday school at 10 a m. Preacting at 11:30 a m., by the pastor, and at 8 p. m. by Rev T. I. Clark. Prayer service Wednesday even-

C. U. CHURCH, Landover, Md., Rev.

A. G. Harrison, pastor, Preaching by pastor, 8 p. m.; Young People's meeting, 7 p. m.; Sunday school, 3 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m., conducted by Miss Banjeman. FAITH M. E. CHAPEL, Bowen Road—Rev. A. G. Harrison, pastor. Sunday school, 10 a. m.; preaching by pastor, 11 a. m., subject, "Write Them Upon the Door Posts;" Young People's meeting, 7 p. m.; preaching by Rev. L. L. Smith, 8 p. m.; prayer meeting Wednesday, 8 p. m.

JOHN WESLEY A. M. E. ZION CHURCH, on Connecticut avenue Rev. J. H. Mc-Mullen, the pastor, will preach at 11 a. m., subject, "Duty of Man and Wife to Each Other," at 8 p. m., "God's Care for Good Men," Sunday school at 9:30 a. m., and the Varick Young People's Christian Endeavor at 4 p. m. All are cordially invited. Seats free.

TRINITY P. E. CHURCH, Third and C streets northwest Services with sermon, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; litany and lecture, Wednes-days, 8 p. m. Strangers always cordially valcounts.

DOUGLASS MEMORIAL CHURCH, corner DOUGLASS MEMORIAL CHURCH, corner Eleventh and H streets northcast—Rev. John L. Walsh, pastor. Sunday school, 9:30 a. m., Robert S. Trimble, superintendent. Prenching at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by pastor. Subject for evening, "Thomas Coke." Juvenile Missionary Society 2:30 p. m., Mrs. Charles A. Pike, superintendent. Bladensburg Mission 2:30 p. m., Rev. L. D. Herron, superintendent. Rosedale Mission 3 p. m., Robert 1. Carr, superintendent. Enworth Learner 7:45 p. research ansaon a p. m., Robert I. Carr, superintendent. Epworth League 7.45 p. m., Charles E. Roberts, president. Classes meet on Monday and Tuesday evenings. Official board Monday at 8 p. m. Prayer meeting Thursday 8 p. m. The public are

MILES MEMORIAL CHURCH, Third street, between L and New York avenue northwest—9:30 a. m., Sanday school; 11 a. m., sermon by the pastor; 8 p. m., sermon by the evangelist, Rev. A. B., Harrison; 5 p. m.; Christian Endeavor. You are welcome. J. C. Martin, pastor. UNITED BRETHREN IN CHRIST, Memorial Church, corner R and North Capi-tol streets, Rev. J. E. Fout, paster -- Preach-ing at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m. by Rev. J. B. Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.; general prayer service Thursday at 8 p. m. Strangers

ALL SOULS' (UNITARIAN) CHERCH, corner Fourteenthand L streets north west Rev. Augelo Hall will preach in the chapel, L. street entrance, morning at 11 o'clock; subject. "The meaning of Christian literty;" young people's meeting at 7 p. in.

All are invited. HAMLINE M. E. CHURCH, Nioth and P streets northwest, Rev. W. R. Stricklen, paster—Sunday school at 9:15 a. m.; 11 a m., missionary school at 810 a. m.; 11 a m., missionary rally; 8 p. m. preaching by pastor; subject, "Apples of gold in pictures of silver;" Epworth League, 7 p. m.; Tuesday, consecration; Thursday, church prayer meeting, 8 p. m. FOURTH PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH,

Ninth street, between G and H streets north-west, Rev. Joseph T. Kelly, pastor-Sat-bath school at 9:30 a. m; preaching by the pastor at 11 a. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m.; prayer meeting Thursday at 8 p. m. Everbody welcome THE EASTERN PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Maryland avenue and Sixth street portheast, Rev. Thomas Chalmers street northeast.—Rev. Thomas chaimers Easton, D. D., pastor, wid preach at 11 a. m., on "Lessons from the Summer's Foliage," and at 7:15 p. m., Y. P. S. C. E., no preaching service; the best music will be rendered. Pastor's class for young men at 9:30 a. m., Sunday school, 9:30 a. m. Strangers cordially invited.

ANDERS M. E. CHINDER SOUTH Tends.

and B streets southwest. Preaching at 11 a.m. by Rev. George W. Carter, and at 8 p.m. by Rev. Stephen Brown; C. E. at 7 p.m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a.m. Allare ordially invited to attend services. teenth and I, streets northwest.—Service at 11 a.m.; Sunday school, 9:45 a.m.; Young People's Christian Union, 7 p. m.; Rev. A. G. Rogers, D. D., pastor. All welcome. METROPOLITAN M. E., Four-and-a-haif and C streets northwest. Rev. Hugh Johnston, D. D., pastor.—Rev. J. H. Mc-Carthy at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.; Chinese school, 3 p. m.; Junior League, 6 p. m.; Epworth League, 6:45 p. m.

MARVIN M. E. CHURCH, SOUTH, Tenth

ASBURY M. E. CHURCH-Eleventh and K streets northwest, Rev. I. L. Thomas, D. D., paster, 5 a. m., prayer and praise meeting: 9:15 a. m., Sunday schoot; 11 . m., sermon by the pastor, subject, "The Christian's Greatest Desire," 5 p. m., out-door meeting in Pierce street, con-ducted by Rev. C. E. Jackson; 8:15 p. m., Gospei meeting, one hour. Come early to secure your scat and join in the great chorus, under the direction of Prof. J. H. Lewis. Reception of members during the morning service. Ashury Church goes to Harper's Ferry Wednesday morning. All welcome. Polite ushers.

MARYLAND AVENUE BAPTIST CHURCH, corner Maryland avenue and Fourteenth street northeast - Preaching by the pastor, Rev. N. C. Naylor, at 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; Bibleschool at 9:30 a. m.; Junior Christian Endeavor Society meeta at 3:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E. at 7 p. m. Everybody invited and made welcome at these services.

WAUGH M. E. CHURCH, Third and A wAUGH M. E. CHURCH, Third and A streets northeast. Rev. E. Olin Eldridge at 11 a. m., subject, "The Obligation of America for the Conversion of the World:" at 8 p. m., subject, "No Night in Heaven." Sunday school, 9:15 a. m.: Epworth Lengue, 7 p. m.; prayer meeting, Thursday, 8 p. m. Seals free.

FIFTEENTH STREET M. E. CHURCH, comer R street northwest-Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; sermon, 11 a.m., by Rev. J. R. Schultz; services; 7:30 p.m., under auspices of Epworth League. Pews free: All are conhally invited.

49c Vests, 18c.

\$1.50 to 75c Untrimmed Hata.. 140 \$1.5) Felt Walking Shapes, 95c

As he got away, however, Mr. Ellis made up his mind to try to take the big fish. They had two pistols and a shot-gun on board. Directing the rowers to follow

Mr. Ellis called at Fort Monroe the next

nd lost his foot.

He was a good deal puzzled to know where the footcame from. The only rational explanation, be thought, was that the shark had come from Forida or Cuban wa-

have been digested.

The question whether the shark is a maneating one is revived by Mr. Eilis' experience. It will be remembered that Mr. Herman Oelrichs, jr., of New York asserted positively at his club a few years ago that all stories of men being devoured by sharks were myths. He had frequently seen sailors bathing in tropical harbors with immercous sharks swimming in their vicinity, and he never knew one of them to be attacked.

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He would up by an offer of several hundred dollars for clear proof of a single inwas whiting to pay a found sum for a well-authentificated case where a shark had even attacked a man. His offer was not Nevertheless sailors as a rule believe that starks do eat men. Detective George Boyd, who was formerly in the navy, says that while at Greytown, Central America, he went in swimming many times, with other

who is high authority upon such matters, was absent. His assistant, Mr, Hall, said was alseed. In assentie, are, than, said there was not sufficient evidence there to give a positive answer to the question. Much has been asserted and denied. Sailors told of men falling overboard and how a shark would be seen dragging them down before they had more than

to Indian Head.

SIMMONS-On July 24, 1896, at 1:15 a m., Columbus Simmons, eldest and be-loved son of William H. and Harriet F.

CARTER -On Thursday, July 23, 1896, at 9 p. m., Ida V. Carter, daughter of the late Henry Carter. Notice of funeral bereafter.

loved son of William H, and Harriet F. Simnons. Funeral from the residence of his parents, 2818 N street northwest, Saturday, July 25, at 4 p. m. Relatives and friends are invited. Internet: at Oak Hill Cemetery. (Eattimore papers please copy.) KEMP—On Thursday, July 23, 1896, at 225 o'cleck, a. m., Catharine, beloved wife of John Kemp, aged fifty-two years.